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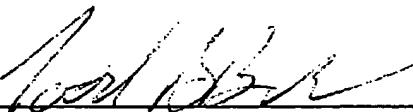
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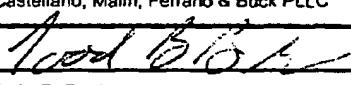
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Amendments to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the claim listing, which begins on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks/arguments begin on page 16 of this paper.